

## **Finding Aid to the The Town Criers Club of Fargo, North Dakota Papers**

The Town Criers Club of Fargo, North Dakota Papers 1911

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### **BIOGRAPHY**

According to its constitution, the Town Criers Club of Fargo, North Dakota was organized in 1911. The purpose of the organization was to promote a high standard of truthful advertising. Membership was restricted to “white persons of 20 years of age or over interested in legitimate advertising, and such other persons as the Club may deem desirable” (Constitution, pg. 1). Applications for membership had to be endorsed by two members in good standing.

## SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Town Criers Club of Fargo, North Dakota Papers include the constitution, the articles of incorporation, correspondence, membership lists, newspaper clippings, and a plan to eliminate false advertising in Fargo.

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